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**HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT
GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM
GANGTOK-737103**

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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 45 read with section 46 of the Mental Healthcare Act, 2017 (No of 10 2017) and in supersession of all previous notifications constituting the Committees under the said Act, the State Government is hereby pleased to establish an authority to be known as the State Mental Health Authority, comprising of the following members, namely:-

Composition:-

1.	Commissioner cum Secretary	Department of Health & Family Welfare	Chairperson
2.	Director Health Services	Department of Health & Family Welfare	Member (ex- officio)
3.	State Programme Officer, Mental Health	Department of Health & Family Welfare	Member (ex officio)
4.	Joint Secretary	Social Welfare Department	Chief Executive Officer (CEO)
5.	Joint Secretary	Education Department	Member (ex officio)
6.	Joint Secretary	Law Department	Member (ex officio)
7.	Joint Director, AYUSH	Department of Health & Family Welfare	Member (ex officio)
8.	Head of Department, Psychiatry	Department of Health & Family Welfare	Member (ex officio)
9.	Dr. Sanjiba Dutta, Deptt of Psychiatry	Central Referral Hospital, Manipal	Member (ex officio)

10.	Dr. Praveen Somani, Private Psychiatrist	Mahatma Gandhi Marg, Gangtok	Member (ex officio)
11.	Miss Pinky Bhutia, Social Worker	District Hospital Singtam	Member
12.	Dr. Sonam Ongmu Lasopa, Sr. Clinical Psychologist	Sir Thutob Namgyal Memorial Hospital, Department of Health & Family Welfare	Member
13.	Ms. Karma Doma, Assistant Nursing Superintendent	Sir Thutob Namgyal Memorial Hospital, Department of Health & Family Welfare	Member
14.	Mr. Narsisus Lepcha	Mayel Lee Building, Nam Nang, Gangtok	Member
15.	Mr. Gyalsten Tamang	Upper Burtuk, Gangtok	Member
16.	Mr. Ishwar Lepcha	Sichey, Gangtok	Member
17.	Mr. Anand Khatiwora	Tadong, Gangtok	Member
18.	Mr. K.C Nima	FREEDOM, Tathangchen	Member
19.	Mr. Ganga Prasad	Kalpatru, Samdong	Member

1. The terms of reference of the SMHA shall be in accordance to Rule 55 (1) of the Mental Healthcare Act 2017.
2. Travel allowance, sitting allowance and daily allowance will be paid as per the government norms.
3. The members of the State Mental Health Authority referred to in sl no. 9-19 shall hold office for a period of three years from the date of nomination and shall be eligible for reappointment.

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Health & Family Welfare Department
Government of Sikkim
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